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GOSPEL IN ACTION

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The **International Justice Mission** ([www.ijm.org](http://www.ijm.org)) is a human rights agency that rescues victims of slavery, sexual exploitation and other forms of violent oppression. IJM seeks to make public justice systems work for victims of abuse and oppression who urgently need the protection of the law. By starting IJM chapters on our campuses, or connecting to one that already exists, we are helping free the enslaved by raising awareness and funds for the work of IJM, and we are sharing the light of the gospel in the context of the darkness of slavery, sexual exploitation, and violent oppression. For more information, read “[Launching Justice Movements](http://crupressgreen.com/launching-justice-movements/)” at <http://crupressgreen.com/launching-justice-movements/>, or contact [Libby.Swenson@cru.org](mailto:Libby.Swenson@cru.org).

### The **Christian Alliance for Orphans**

([www.christianalliancefororphans.org](http://www.christianalliancefororphans.org)) unites more than 100 respected Christian organizations and a national network of churches. Working together, joint initiatives *inspire, equip, and connect* Christians to reflect God’s heart in caring for orphans in adoption, foster care and global orphan care initiatives. Family Life’s *Hope for Orphans*, and the Campus Ministry, are member organizations of the Alliance, and scores of Cru movements and summer projects have exposed students and faculty to orphans and their needs through partnering with Alliance member organizations. For a list of potential partners within the Alliance and their locations worldwide, see below. For more information, contact Dawn Little at [Summer.Projects@cru.org](mailto:Summer.Projects@cru.org), subject line: Dawn.



The Campus Ministry’s on-going partnership with **Haiti Cru** and **Nehemiah Vision Ministries** provides a unique opportunity to help rebuild Haiti’s shattered campus ministry and to help build Chambrun (an area on the outskirts of Port-au-Prince) into a beacon of hope for some of the poorest people in the world. Opportunities include spring break trips, summer projects, or an entire semester in Haiti through Cru Global Missions’ new Cru Abroad program. For more information: <http://gosummerproject.com/projects/680> or <http://semesterinhaiti.com/>, or contact [Eric.Heistand@cru.org](mailto:Eric.Heistand@cru.org).

**Here's Life Inner City**, Cru's ministry to the urban poor in major cities of the USA, offers life-changing spring break opportunities ("Urban Immersion") and summer opportunities ("Summer in the City") as well as internships and career opportunities. New concern for the poor among college students compels hundreds of students annually to spend their spring break or summer with HLIC, where they are exposed to the needs of the city, grow personally, and are challenged to "win, build, and send" at their university in order to raise up Godly leadership for urban America. For details: <http://www.scizeit.org/>



**Global Aid Network.** As the relief and development aid arm of Cru USA and Campus Crusade for Christ International, the ministry of Global Aid Network ("GAIN") spans the globe helping to meet physical needs in areas of poverty and despair and providing hope through evangelistic outreach. "GAIN" works in partnership with existing Cru ministries around the world to help distribute compassionate aid to impoverished countries and mobilizes mission teams for aid distribution, disaster response, evangelistic outreach, medical mission and orphan care. Go to: <http://gainusa.org/>

**The Impact Movement** led the way during the Campus Ministry's response to Katrina, mobilizing 400 African American students to bring relief and hope to New Orleans and directing Cru efforts in the African American community there. If there are Impact movements near you and God is leading you to engage in predominantly African American schools or communities, contact Impact Movement leaders for direction and collaboration in these efforts. <http://impactmovement.org/>



**Compassion International** exists as a Christian child advocacy ministry that releases children from spiritual, economic, social and physical poverty and enables them to become responsible, fulfilled Christian adults. Founded in 1952, Compassion began providing Korean War orphans with food, shelter, education and health care, as well as Christian training. Today, Compassion helps more than 1.2 million children in 26 countries.

Compassion also has over 2000 university students involved their Leadership Development Program in the following countries: Bolivia, Brazil, Columbia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Kenya, Peru, Philippines, Rwanda, Thailand, and Uganda. Check the website for ideas re: connecting with college students through sponsorship opportunities: <http://www.compassion.com/>, or with [Jay.Lorenzen@cru.org](mailto:Jay.Lorenzen@cru.org) re: involving LDP students in international partnership locations.



Local Cru movements and Big Break have partnered with **Feed My Starving Children** (<http://www.fmsc.org/>) and **Feeding Children Everywhere** (<http://www.feedingchildreneverywhere.com/>)



to pack high nutrition meals for starving children. Both are Christ-centered organizations that provide an opportunity for volunteers to pack high nutrition meals that are then shipped to hungry children all over the world. In 2011 and 2012, Cru and these two organizations packed and shipped over 3 million meals overseas. For an example of what this can look like on your campus, view 3-minute VDO at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S5Drl5jKstA&list=UUeg4QHYNsqjhNRmWB9j21wQ&index=2&feature=plcp>)



**Vision Trust** has a passion to love the most needy children in the world, and those who partner with Vision Trust will help provide food, medical care, schooling, and leadership development for the children, and will help disciple them into a generation of leaders who bring gospel-driven change to their society and culture. The Great Plains International region sponsors a summer project opportunity with Vision Trust in the Dominican Republic.

Students and faculty on this project engage with orphans, children in extreme poverty, or victims of trafficking. They also connect with the Cru summer project launching movements on university campuses in Santa Domingo. (Most of the college students involved in the DR Cru ministry have graduated from high school leadership development programs sponsored by Vision Trust.) For more info: <http://www.gosummerproject.com/projects/790>

In any partnership, we strive for a mutually beneficial relationship and a synergy that accelerates the growth of the Kingdom of God. All of the partners listed above (and others, of course) can help us connect Cru movements, summer projects, and Stint teams to human need within arms reach of the university – and we can give them lift in their sacrificial work in broken places. Once students and faculty are immersed in pressing human need, God will speak to them about how broken the world is, how desperately the gospel is needed, and how much we need to grow in order to bring the gospel and its power to redeem and restore the most broken places in the world. That's a huge win for any Cru movement, and the enthusiasm of Cru students and staff often provide a big “shot in the arm” for sacrificial believers working in the trenches with the poor and oppressed.

If there's an organization you've partnered with and would like to add them to this list, please contact [Chip.Scivicque@cru.org](mailto:Chip.Scivicque@cru.org).

## CRU Global Missions Locations and Orphan Care Partners

The USCM is an active member of the Christian Alliance for Orphans. Following is a list of trustworthy, Christ-centered organizations around the world that are fellow members with us in the Christian Alliance for Orphans. To weave orphan care into your summer or Stint mission, simply contact the organization listed for your location to find out how your team can give lift to their on-going efforts.

- **Athens, Greece** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/Greece/Vari/Pages/default.aspx> 35 minutes from Athens. They also have established partners at a hospital. Contact [jeff.burgess@cru.org](mailto:jeff.burgess@cru.org)
  - **Abidjan, Ivory Coast** Life Link <http://lifelinkrc.org/page/15sbl/Orphanages.html>  
Orphanage of rescued street children located about one hour outside of Abidjan.
  - **Bahir Dar, Ethiopia** Blessing the Children [trips@blessingthechildren.org](mailto:trips@blessingthechildren.org)
  - **Bangalore, India** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Asia/India/Bangalore/Pages/default.aspx> on the outskirts of town
  - **Beirut, Lebanon** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Asia/Lebanon/Kfarhay/Pages/default.aspx> Orphan home approximately 60 km from Beirut.
  - **Berlin, Germany** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/Germany/Berlin-Moabit/Pages/default.aspx> Children's home, daycare and family facility in heart of Berlin
  - ❖ **Bologna, Italy** Ask locals, there *are* orphanages in Italy. I'm sorry I wasn't able to find an exact location.
  - **Budapest, Hungary** Herbalife Family Foundation **Phone Number:** 310.410.9600 <http://www.herbalifefamilyfoundation.org/?nd=casa> **Aga Children's Home**
  - **Buenos Aires, Argentina** Contact [Courtney.Pope@uscm.org](mailto:Courtney.Pope@uscm.org) (ICS in Argentina). Puerta del Cielo orphanage
  - **Casablanca, Morocco** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Africa/Morocco/Dar-Bouazza/Pages/default.aspx> 40 minutes south of the center of Casablanca
  - **Chengdu, China** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Asia/China/Chengdu/Pages/default.aspx>
  - **Chiangmai, Thailand** Agape Home – Orphanage for babies/ children with HIV/AIDS. Email: [agape@nikkisplace.org](mailto:agape@nikkisplace.org); website for contact info: [www.nikkisplace.org](http://www.nikkisplace.org) Another opportunity: Imjai House – Orphanage of 40 children whose parents have died of AIDS. <http://isaacfoundation.org>
  - **Coimbatore, India** Contact Back 2 Back. [todd.guckenberger@back2backministries.org](mailto:todd.guckenberger@back2backministries.org) They are in India and may have a contact in Coimbatore. This is a trusted Cru partner.
  - **Concepcion, Chile** <http://www.abroaderview.org/volunteers/chile/#Concepcion-tab> Not a faith-based organization
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- **Dakar, Senegal** Pastor Owusu-Baafi (International Baptist Church) works with Talibe (street kids) [info@ibcdakar.org](mailto:info@ibcdakar.org)
- **Durban, South Africa** [http://www.tscnyc.org/missions/international\\_projects.php?pr=10](http://www.tscnyc.org/missions/international_projects.php?pr=10) Tim Buxton **phone number** 212.871.3316 [tbuxton@timessquarechurch.org](mailto:tbuxton@timessquarechurch.org) Will help make connections with in-country partners.
- **Ekaterinburg, Russia** <http://www.newhopeoutreach.org/countries/russia/ekaterinberg> they work with orphans and are very gospel centered. Go to the newsletter tab and read to learn more about ministry in Ekaterinburg.
- **Haiti** The humanitarian arm of Haiti CCC, Nehemiah Vision Ministries, runs a small orphanage of 15-20 children in the Chambrun area. Nat'l Director Esperandieu Pierre. [esperandieu10@hotmail.com](mailto:esperandieu10@hotmail.com) or [epierre12@gmail.com](mailto:epierre12@gmail.com) Phone #: 972 603 5612
- **4th Journey Asian Side** Yakacik Child Shelter: 216 - 377 13 92 Uskudar Child Shelter : 216 - 341 84 42 *European Side* Bahcelievler Child Shelter: 212 - 575 06 55 Kasimpasa Child Shelter: 212 - 250 06 19
- **Karaganda, Kazakhstan** Dereje Wondmu works with YWAM and has lots of contacts [ethder@gmail.com](mailto:ethder@gmail.com) cell: 705-555-5203 or contact Luba Kudratoval at [kudratoval@mail.ru](mailto:kudratoval@mail.ru)
- ❖ **Keszthely, Hungary??** There are orphanages here, referred to as "Children's Homes." I was unable to find a specific location.
- **Kosice, Slovakia** – <http://www.otcovosrdce.sk/en/ministry/children-clubs> There are five children's homes ranging from 9 to 30 minutes from Kosice. This ministry likes volunteers and is very gospel-centered.
- **Kyoto, Japan** Karyo-en (orphanage) is located in the Shimogamo area and houses 20 girls and 18 boys between the ages of 3 and 17 who have been abandoned by their parents. Also check with <http://livingdreams.jp> for more opportunities.
- **LaPlata & Buenos Aires, Argentina** [Courtney.Pope@uscm.org](mailto:Courtney.Pope@uscm.org) ICS staff. Orphanage name: Puerta del Cielo
- **Ljubljana, Slovenia** **Asylum Home (Cesta v Gorice 15, ++386 1 200 84 007) open center for "separated children," refuge families etc.**
- **London, England** <http://www.actionforchildren.org.uk/content/74/What-you-can-do> **Action for Children (Young Careers Project)**
- **Lusaka, Zambia** Hope Project and orphanage [www.zambiahope.com](http://www.zambiahope.com) Former staff member Larry Conover is partnering here.
- **Maracaibo, Venezuela** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Americas/Venezuela/La-Canada/Pages/default.aspx> about 20 miles south of Maracaibo
- **Merida, Venezuela** Av. Ppal San Jacinto casa N.7 a 500 Mts con Conscripto Militar San Jacinto Frente a la entrada de Negro Primero Municipio Merida Phone: 0274/2510069 website: [www.abansa.com](http://www.abansa.com) [abansa@cantv.net](mailto:abansa@cantv.net) [Abansa\\_bqto@cantv.net](mailto:Abansa_bqto@cantv.net), [raquela@cantv.net](mailto:raquela@cantv.net) – teams have worked with them in the past, orphanage name: Mi Refugio



- **Milan, Italy** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/Italy/Saronno/Pages/default.aspx>  
35 minutes from Milan
  - **Monterrey, Mexico** [todd.guckenberger@back2backministries.org](mailto:todd.guckenberger@back2backministries.org) Back 2 Back is a trusted partner working in 10 orphanages and several squatter villages. They are very gospel centered and great with teams. They have locations in Cancun, India and Nigeria as well.
  - **Montevideo, Uruguay** <http://www.onemissionsociety.org/where-we-serve/uruguay>
  - **Montpellier, France** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/France/Pages/default.aspx> many homes in France but nothing closer than 1hr 45min. from our locations.
  - **Moscow, Russia** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/Russia/Tomilino/Pages/default.aspx> suburb of Moscow - 25 minutes from heart of city. Herbalife Family Foundation **Phone Number:** 310.410.9600 <http://www.herbalifefamilyfoundation.org/?nd=casa> **the Udelnaya Orphanage – on outskirts of town.** [Kara.Coe@promail.ru](mailto:Kara.Coe@promail.ru) ICS staff contact who serves regularly
  - **Mumbai, India** Aruna Project "Oasis" & Salvation Army or Ashadaan Orphanage ( Mother Theresa)
  - **Nairobi, Kenya** <http://www.abroaderview.org/volunteers/kenya/#MakuyuKenya-tab> Not a Christian organization. Buckner International – contact Jeff Jones: [jjones@buckner.org](mailto:jjones@buckner.org) Business: (214) 758-8027 Mobile: (469) 877-6441 Assistant: Cheryl Jones 214-758-8191 [cjones@buckner.org](mailto:cjones@buckner.org)
  - **Novi Sad, Serbia** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/Serbia/Novi-Sad/Pages/default.aspx>
  - **Paris, France** many homes in France but nothing closer than 1hr 45min. from our locations - check out: <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/France/Pages/default.aspx>
  - **Port Elizabeth, SA** <http://www.oceansofmercy.com> [tracij@oceansofmercy.com](mailto:tracij@oceansofmercy.com)  
913-231-3881
  - **Porto, Portugal** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/Portugal/Gulpilhares/Pages/default.aspx> children's home 20ish minutes from Porto
  - **Pretoria, South Africa** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Africa/South-Africa/Mamelodi/Pages/default.aspx> 30 minutes east of Pretoria. Teams have also worked with BEAM – 50% of the kids are orphans. Contact Andy McCullough for more info [andymccullough27@gmail.com](mailto:andymccullough27@gmail.com)
  - **Quito, Ecuador** [http://www.itsaboutkids.org/missions\\_information.html](http://www.itsaboutkids.org/missions_information.html) 20 minutes outside of Quito. They are looking for teams that want to make a lasting difference not just have fun – although there will be fun.
  - **Rennes, France** many homes in France but nothing closer than 1hr 45min. from our locations – check out: <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/France/Pages/default.aspx>
  - **Rome, Italy** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Europe/Italy/Rome/Pages/default.aspx> located in NW Rome
  - ❖ **Salerno, Italy** ask locals, there are children's homes/villages for the poor in Italy. I'm sorry I wasn't able to find an exact location in Salerno.
  - **San Jose, Costa Rica**
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[http://www.roblealto.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=79&Itemid=25](http://www.roblealto.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=79&Itemid=25)

there is an application for a one day visit from groups. There are three locations in San Jose.

- **San Salvador, El Salvador** <http://www.harvesting.org/teams.html> They are located half way to the airport, away from the Capital city of San Salvador. They have a youth home for those 18 and up who have left their children's home in San Salvador.
- **Santiago, Chile** <http://www.abroaderview.org/volunteers/chile/#Santiago-tab> Not a Christian organization.
- **Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic** Buckner International – contact Jeff Jones: [jjones@buckner.org](mailto:jjones@buckner.org) Business: (214) 758-8027 Mobile: (469) 877-6441 Assistant: Cheryl Jones 214-758-8191 [cjones@buckner.org](mailto:cjones@buckner.org)
- **Sarajevo, Bosnia** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.org.uk/sponsor-a-child/europe/bosnia>
- **St. Petersburg, Russia** <http://www.theharborspb.org/changed-lives/> work with those who have aged out of orphanages – street kids. Another option: Buckner International – contact Jeff Jones: [jjones@buckner.org](mailto:jjones@buckner.org) Business: (214) 758-8027 Mobile: (469) 877-6441 Assistant: Cheryl Jones 214-758-8191 [cjones@buckner.org](mailto:cjones@buckner.org)
- **Suva, Fiji** St Christopher's Home, PO Box 8232, Nakasi, Suva, Fiji Islands **Tel: +679 47 458** There is also an orphanage called: **Dilkusha Orphanage – but I can't find contact info. Locals will most likely know where it is. Another option:** <http://www.tscnyc.org/missions/international.php?co=16> Tim Buxton **phone number** 212.871.3316 [tbuxton@timesquarechurch.org](mailto:tbuxton@timesquarechurch.org) Will help make connections with their in-country partners.
- **Sydney, Australia** <http://www.theinfantshome.org.au/index.php/about/students/> Sydney, Australia The Infants' Home 17 Henry St Ashfield NSW 2131 **Ph: (02) 9799 4844 Fax: (02) 9799 4122** They take student volunteers.
- **Tamale / Accra, Ghana** <http://www.catointl.org/download/TamaleChildrensHome.pdf>
- **Tokyo, Japan** [http://livingdreams.jp/news/?page\\_id=228](http://livingdreams.jp/news/?page_id=228) <http://livingdreams.jp> work in numerous homes and like volunteers <http://www.tokyoamericanclubwomensgroup.org/tacwg/npo.jsp?pg=support12> list of orphanages. Long term staff opportunity: [http://www.kizunababy.jp/Japan\\_orphans\\_English.html](http://www.kizunababy.jp/Japan_orphans_English.html)
- ❖ **Uppsala, Sweden??** They have a foster care system. I have no current service leads.
- **Valencia, Venezuela** <http://www.soschildrensvillages.ca/Where-we-help/Americas/Venezuela/Maracay/Pages/default.aspx> one hour by car from Valencia
- **Wellington, New Zealand** Staff have church connections - working in "red light" district and may have done a pancake breakfast at a youth hostel in 2010. Contact [Jeff.Daratomy@uscm.org](mailto:Jeff.Daratomy@uscm.org) or [Laura.Bunge@uscm.org](mailto:Laura.Bunge@uscm.org)
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